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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S TRIP -- PRESENTATION OF LINCOLN BUST

REF: CARACAS 1097

THE SECRETARY'S PRESENTATION OF THE LINCOLN BUST HAS BEEN APPROVED. POST IS AUTHORIZED TO PREPARE THE PLAQUE PURSUANT TO PROPOSED INSCRIPTION IN REFTEL WITH FOLLOWING REVISED FINAL SENTENCE QUOTE THIS BUST OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN, BY THE AMERICAN SCULPTOR LEO CHERNE, IS PRESENTED ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES TO PRESIDENT CARLOS ANDRES PEREZ AND THE PEOPLE OF THE REPUBLIC OF VENEZUELA ON THE OCCASION OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE'S VISIT TO VENEZUELA FEBRUARY 1976 UNQUOTE END. KISSINGER

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